THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE N.V. RAMANA

Writ Petition No. 20466 of 2006

Dated: 28.09.2006

Between:

K. Krishnaiah, S/o K. Siddaiah, aged about 54 years, Occ: Superintendent (F), E.51040, DM's Office, Kadapa, R/o Kadapa.

.... PETITIONER

AND

Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation, rep. by its Managing Director, Musheerabad, Hyderabad-20, and others.

.....RESPONDENTS

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Order:

The main grievance of the petitioner in this writ petition is that against the punishment order, dated 18.09.2006, passed by the 3rd respondent-Divisional Manager, he preferred an appeal before the 2nd respondent-Executive Director (C&N) on 23.09.2006, but no orders thereon have been passed till date. Hence, he filed the present writ petition.

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Standing Counsel for the respondents-Corporation.

Since the appeal filed by the petitioner is said to be pending consideration before the 2nd respondent-Executive Director (C&N), without going into the merits of the matter, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition with the following directions:

The 2nd respondent-Executive Director (C&N) is directed to consider the appeal, dated 23.09.2006, preferred by the petitioner against the punishment order dated 18.09.2006 passed by the 3rd respondent-Divisional Manager, and pass appropriate orders thereon in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Till such time, the impugned order is suspended.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

N.V. RAMANA, J.

Date: 28.09.2006
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